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Office of the President

May 5, 1970

To Those Addressed:

The following is the message that was telegraphed to President Richard M. Nixon at four p.m. on Monday, May 4, 1970:

"Dear Mr. President:

The American invasion of Cambodia and the renewed bombing of North Vietnam have caused extraordinarily severe and widespread apprehensions on our campuses. We share these apprehensions. As college and university presidents in contact with large numbers of concerned Americans, we must advise you that among a major part of our students and faculty members the desire for a prompt end of American military involvement in Southeast Asia is extremely intense. We implore you to consider the incalculable dangers of an unprecedented alienation of America's youth and to take immediate action to demonstrate unequivocally your determination to end the war quickly. We urgently request the opportunity to discuss these problems with you directly."

The names of those who have indicated their willingness to sign the telegram are:

James I. Armstrong  
Middlebury College

\* Robert K. Carr  
Oberlin College

\* Thomas A. Bartlett  
Colgate University

John W. Chandler  
Hamilton College

\* Samuel Baskin  
Union of Experimental Colleges  
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John R. Coleman  
Haverford College

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City University of New York

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Syracuse University

Mary I. Bunting  
Radcliffe College

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Robert D. Cross Swarthmore College	* Reamer Kline Bard College
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* James P. Dixon, Jr. Antioch College	Katherine E. McBride Bryn Mawr College
* J. Garber Drushal The College of Wooster	Elizabeth J. McCormack, r.s.c.j. Manhattanville College
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